AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. – 5 (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) The lifting device of Claim ~~5~~20, wherein said rod is a steel rod; and wherein said plate is a generally rectangular steel plate welded to said steel rod adjacent said object-engaging portion thereof.

7. – 13. (Cancelled)

14. (Currently Amended) The panelboard of Claim ~~13~~21, wherein said stabilizing member includes a plate coupled to said rod adjacent said engaging portion thereof and extending substantially perpendicularly therefrom.

15. (Original) The panelboard of Claim 14, wherein said rod is a steel rod; and wherein said plate is a generally rectangular steel plate welded to said steel rod adjacent said engaging portion thereof.

16. – 19. (Cancelled)

20. (New) A lifting device for moving an object having an elongated aperture, said lifting device comprising:

a lifting member including a first end and a second end, the first end of said lifting member having a handle portion for gripping by a user, the second end of said lifting member having an object-engaging portion structured for insertion into said elongated aperture, in order to securely engage said object;

a stabilizing member coupled to said lifting member adjacent said object-engaging portion and structured to stabilize said object while moving it;

wherein said lifting member is a rod having a bend between the first and second ends thereof;

wherein said stabilizing member includes a plate coupled to said rod adjacent said object-engaging portion thereof, and extending substantially perpendicular therefrom; and

wherein said elongated aperture is a keyhole-shaped aperture including a generally circular portion and at least one slot portion extending therefrom; wherein said object-engaging portion of said rod includes a chamfer and a circumferential groove between said chamfer and said plate; and wherein said chamfer is structured for insertion into said generally circular portion of said keyhole-shaped aperture, in order that said circumferential groove may slide and lock within one of said at least one slot portion of said aperture, thereby securely engaging said object.

21. (New) A panelboard comprising:

an enclosure including a side flange having an elongated aperture therein; and

at least one lifting device comprising:

a lifting member including a first end and a second end, the first end of said lifting member having a handle portion for gripping by a user, the second end having an engaging portion inserted into said elongated aperture, in order to securely engage said side flange;

a stabilizing member coupled to said lifting member adjacent said engaging portion and engaging said side flange.;

werein said lifting member is a rod having a bend between the first and second ends thereof;

wherein said elongated aperture is a keyhole-shaped aperture including a generally circular portion and at least one slot portion extending therefrom; and

wherein said engaging portion includes a chamfer on the second end of said rod and a circumferential groove between said chamfer and said stabilizing member; wherein said chamfer is inserted into said generally circular portion of said keyhole-shaped aperture in said side flange; and wherein said circumferential groove slides and locks within one of said at least one slot portion of said keyhole-shaped aperture, thereby securely engaging said side flange.